

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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TITLE OF INVENTION

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APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/FO/LIS	

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Ar	plicant	herewith submits to the United States	Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US	) the following items and other	information:

	d Edwin Thurston and Philip Wilson Howard
Applic	ant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information
1. 🗶	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. 🔲	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. 🔲	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
4. X	The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
5. X	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
	b.  has been communicated by the International Bureau.
	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6.	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
	a. is attached hereto.
- C	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. X	Amendments to the claims of the International Aplication under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
	a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
	b. X have been communicated by the International Bureau.
	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
	d. have not been made and will not be made.
8. 🔲	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).
9. X	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10.	An English lanugage translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).
Iten	ns 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:
îı. 🔲	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. X	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. X	A FIRST preliminary amendment.
14.	A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
15. 🔲	A substitute specification.
16.	A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
17.	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.
18.	A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
19. 🔲	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20. 🗵	Other items or information: return receipt postcard
	CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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21. X The follow	ing fees are submitted:			CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONI
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but all claims did n	ot satisfy provisions of F	37 CFR 1.482) paid to US CT Article 33(1)-(4)	\$690.00		
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	-	BASIC FEE AMO		\$ 860.00	
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CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	\$	
Total claims	44 - 20 =	24	x \$18.00	\$ 432.00	
ndependent claims	4 -3 =	11	x \$80.00	\$ 80.00	
IULTIPLE DEPEN	DENT CLAIM(S) (if ap	olicable)	+ \$270.00	\$ 270.00	
		OF ABOVE CALCU		\$ 1,642.00	
Applicant claim are reduced by		e 37 CFR 1.27. The fees	indicated above	\$ 821.00	
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b.		Please charge my Deposit Account No in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
c.	X	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0842. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
d.		Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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